

Amendments to the Specification:

After the Description of the Preferred Embodiment of the Invention, please replace the second full paragraph beginning at page 3, line 24 with the following amended paragraph:

A conventional drain port 28 is located in bottom 26. A conventional overflow port 30 is located in the end wall 24 (Fig. 1A). A vertical drain pipe 32 extends downwardly from drain port 28, and overflow drain pipe 34 extends downwardly from overflow port 30. A horizontal pipe 36 connects pipes 32 and 34. In an alternate embodiment vertical pipe 32 and horizontal pipe 36 are a single L-shaped pipe. A drain pipe 38 extends downwardly from the junction between pipes 34 and 36.
~~Drain pipe 38 and horizontal pipe 36 form a drain assembly 39.~~

Please replace the first two paragraphs at page 4, beginning with line 7 and continuing to line 25 with the following amended paragraph:

With reference to Figs. 2 and 3, a cap 52 has an outer face 54 which has a cylindrical body 60 which has interior threads 62 and which are adapted to mate with the threads 31 of ~~port 30~~ port 30 leg 37A (Fig. 2). An O-ring (not shown) may be used on the cap 52 to help seal the cap 52. The cap 52 also has an annular flange 64 that extends radially outwardly from the open end of the cylindrical body 60. A thin sealing membrane 66 is affixed to the face 54 (Fig. 2) of cap 52 so as to seal the aperture 56 ~~in the cap 52 when it is screwed into onto the~~ threads 31 so that the cap 52 can be effectively sealed against the port 30 leg 37A. It should be appreciated that though this

embodiment show a cap 52 that screws onto threads 31 that are on the outside of pipe 34, the cap 52 in an alternate embodiment could screw into interior threads of pipe 34.

In operation, the cap 52 can either be removed from the port 30 ~~leg 37A~~, or the thin sealing membrane 66 can be cut away so as to permit the attachment of the conventional overflow mechanisms.

At page 4, after line 26, and before line 27, please delete the following paragraphs added in a previous office action:

~~Referring to Figs. 1-3, in one embodiment, an overflow system for a bathtub 18 which has a bottom 26, and adjacent sidewalls 22 and endwalls 24, a drain port 28 in the bottom 26, and an overflow port 30 in one of the endwalls 24. A drain pipe 34 adapted to be in communication with said drain port 28 and said overflow port 30. The drain pipe 34 having an inverted L-shape, including a horizontal leg 37A extending into and through the overflow port 30 of the bathtub 18, and a vertical leg 37B extending downwardly for connection to a fluid drain system 38. Threads 31 are located on the horizontal leg 37A extending through the overflow port 30. A cap 52 is threadably mounted on an end of the horizontal leg 37A extending through the overflow port 30. A cap 52 has an opening in its circular planar end 54 (also referred to herein as face 54), with a thin flexible sealing membrane 66 secured to the cap 52 and extending over the opening 56 in the circular planar end 54.~~

~~— In another embodiment, a plumbing test system includes a pipe 34 having a first exposed end 37A and second end 37B in communication with a fluid source, wherein the first end 37A comprises an externally threaded portion 31. The cap assembly~~

~~61 includes a cap 52 having an opening 56 in a planar end 54, with a sealing member 66 secured to the cap 52 and extending over the opening 56 in the planar end. The cap 52 is threadably mounted on the externally threaded portion 31 of the first end 37A and wherein a portion of the cap assembly 61 is composed of a material capable of sealing the first end 37A when the cap 52 is threaded onto the first end 37A.~~